
EVALUATOR MANUAL TRANSMITTAL SHEET

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Subject:

Appendix C – SSI/SSP Payment Standards effective April 1, 2006

Reason For Change:

To incorporate the new SSI/SSP Payment Standards into the Appendix Section (APX C)

Filing Instructions:

REMOVE – SSI/SSP Payment Standards effective January 1, 2006

INSERT – New SSI/SSP Payment Standards effective April 1, 2006

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**Non-Medical Out-of-Home Care (NMOHC)
Payment Standard
Effective April 1, 2006**

Supplemental Security Income (SSI)	\$603.00
State Supplementary Payment (SSP)	<u>412.00</u>
Total NMOHC Payment Standard	<u>\$1015.00*</u>

The NMOHC Payment Standard includes the following components:

Room and Board	\$435.00
Care and Supervision (maximum)	<u>\$463.00</u>
Amount Payable for Basic Services	\$898.00¹
Personal and Incidental Needs Allowance	<u>\$117.00</u>
(Must be provided to the recipient) (minimum)	
	<u>\$1015.00</u>

*Amounts are double for SSI/SSP couples.

¹ NOTE: Recipients who have income in addition to their SSI/SSP check (for example, a pension, Social Security retirement, or disability benefits) can be charged the **\$898.00** amount for basic services plus an additional \$20. Because federal rules do not count the first \$20 of a recipient's income against his/her SSI/SSP grant, an SSI/SSP recipient with other income has an extra \$20 that people who receive only an SSI/SSP check do not have. Neither federal nor state law restricts the recipient in how this additional \$20 amount is spent. Thus, if the recipient agrees in the admission agreement to pay the additional \$20 for basic services, the facility may charge the additional amount.